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In Re Application of:

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE  
ACTION OF OCTOBER 14, 2005**

This response is accompanied by a petition and fee for a two month extension of time.

In response to the non-final Office Action of October 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.